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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Clark Clifford re
Lyman Kirkpatrick

- a) Pick of lot in the intelligence field.
- b) Kept some relationships.
- c) Seminar at Brown 2 yrs ago
- d) Handles polio & grace
- e) Truly qualified expert in intelligence field
- f) Reassuring to professionals
- g) a master stroke
- h) restructuring needed

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1977

Tim Kraft

The attached was returned in
the President's outbox and is
forwarded to you for your
information and appropriate
action. The letters have been
sent.

Rick Hutcheson

Re: Letters to Mrs. Johnson
& Chuck Robb

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 15, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: TIM KRAFT *TK*
SUBJECT: Attached Drafts to Chuck and Lynda Robb and Lady Bird Johnson; scheduling of Henry Howell Visit

It is suggested that you send the attached congratulatory notes to the Robbs and Mrs. Johnson.

Robb was on the Carter campaign's Virginia Finance Committee in the Spring of 1976, was a \$1,000 contributor. Robb's campaign manager was Bill Romjue, a veteran Carter field organizer who worked in several caucus and primary states as well as in the general.

Due to a garbled message delivered through Mrs. Johnson's Secret Service detail, the Robbs thought you might call them last night after talking to Henry Howell. A note should assuage any lingering disappointment from this misunderstanding.

Also, Henry Howell's staff reports that you invited Howell to the White House after he gets some rest. They are suggesting Monday, June 27th or Tuesday, the 28th. (President Perez of Venezuela arrives on the 28th.) How do you prefer to schedule this?

Office appointment

☒ Lunch on Tuesday

Other

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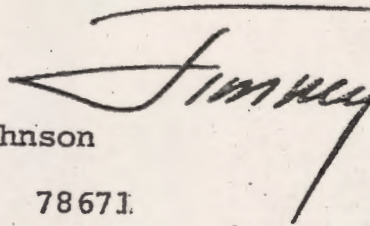
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1977

To Lady Bird Johnson:

Though I know you would give Chuck and Lynda all the credit, I wanted also to congratulate you on yesterday's very impressive outcome. I know you worked hard and must be very proud.

Your friend,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Jimmy Carter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a long horizontal line extending from the end.

Mrs. Lady Bird Johnson
The LBJ Ranch
Stonewall, Texas 78671

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WASHINGTON

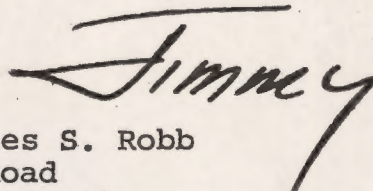
June 15, 1977

To Chuck and Lynda Robb:

Congratulations on yesterday's impressive victory. I know you both worked hard and must be very proud of such a strong showing.

I have the highest hopes for the Democratic ticket in Virginia this year. I need you in Richmond to help me in the years ahead.

Your friend,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Jimmy", written in a cursive style.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Robb
612 Chain Bridge Road
McLean, Virginia 22101

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1977

Jim Fallows -

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the President's outbox. It is
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Rick Hutcheson

Re: Contribution of Essay to
American Politics

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 14, 1977

*Jim ok for them
to publish
Notre Dame speech
J*

MEMORANDUM TO THE PRESIDENT

FROM: JIM FALLOWS *JF*

During the campaign, Patt Derian got a request from a group of university professors who wanted you to contribute an essay to their forthcoming book, American Politics: The Third Century. Patt says she agreed to "inquire and see if we could do it," but the issues staff did not get a draft finished during the campaign. No one ever made a firm promise, written or oral, to do the piece, although the campaign staff was apparently willing to do it.

The professors have again inquired if you would be willing to do the essay. They envision a 1,000-word article. Without attempting to control your choice of topic, they have suggested a piece outlining "the negative influences of the bureaucracy on the democratic process" and explaining your reasons for reducing and reorganizing the bureaucracy.

West Publishing Company intends to promote the book for use in college freshman and sophomore courses. We have been told that it will contain essays by the Vice President, by the late Justice Tom Clark, and by several Senators.

Do you want to contribute an essay to this book?

Yes _____

No ☒

except above J

If so, what should the topic be?

Why we need government reorganization _____

How a president gets the bureaucracy to do what he wants _____

Other _____

If you want an essay drafted, do you want to discuss your thoughts with one of the speechwriters first?

Yes, let's arrange for brief discussion _____

No, prepare a draft first _____

Other _____

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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 14, 1977

BREAKFAST WITH SENATORS

Wednesday, June 15, 1977

8:00 a.m. (45 minutes)

Small Mess

From: Frank Moore *FM*

I. PURPOSE

To meet with both Democratic and Republican Senators.

II. BACKGROUND, PARTICIPANTS & PRESS PLAN

A. Background: This is the first in a series of meetings with Senators. The ten Senators included in this breakfast represent a cross section of the Senate -- senior Members, junior Members; committee chairmen; liberals, moderates, conservatives; Senators up for re-election. We planned to have a member of the Leadership attend also; however, the Joint Congressional Leadership Breakfast prevented us from doing so this time.

B. Participants: The President; Vice President; Senators Birch Bayh, Thomas Eagleton, William Hathaway, Ernest Hollings, Thomas McIntyre, Edmund Muskie, Claiborne Pell, Jim Sasser, Adlai Stevenson, Edward Zorinsky; Frank Moore, Bill Smith, Dan Tate, Bob Thomson.

C. Press Plan: White House Photo.

III. TALKING POINTS

A. The idea behind this meeting is to have a candid, open-ended conversation with these Senators.

B. Attached is a biographical sketch on each of the Senators who will be attending this breakfast.

BIRCH BAYH (D-Indiana); 3rd term (1980); born January 22, 1928, Terre Haute, Indiana; Methodist; married (Marvella); one child; J.D., Indiana University School of Law; U.S. Army; Indiana House of Representatives, Speaker, Minority Leader; elected to U.S. Senate, 1962.

Chairman, Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments and Rights (Committee on the Judiciary); Chairman, Subcommittee on Transportation (Committee on Appropriations); Chairman, Subcommittee on Intelligence and the Rights of Americans (Select Committee on Intelligence).

THOMAS F. EAGLETON (D-Missouri); 2nd term (1980); born September 4, 1929, St. Louis, Missouri; married (Barbara); two children; U.S. Navy, 1948-49; B.A., Amherst College, cum laude, 1950; LL.B., Harvard Law School, cum laude, 1953; Missouri Man of the Year, United Press International, 1968; Harry S. Truman Good Neighbor Award, 1974; Author, War and Presidential Power: A Chronicle of Congressional Surrender, 1974; elected to U.S. Senate, 1968.

Chairman, Subcommittee on Efficiency and the District of Columbia (Committee on Governmental Affairs); Chairman, Subcommittee on Aging (Committee on Human Resources); Chairman, Subcommittee on Agriculture and Related Agencies (Committee on Appropriations).

WILLIAM D. HATHAWAY (D-Maine); 1st term (1978); born February 21, 1924, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Catholic; married (Mary Lee); two children; Army Air Force, 1942-46; Harvard Law School, 1953; U.S. House of Representatives, 1965-70; elected to U.S. Senate, 1972.

Chairman, Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse (Committee on Human Resources); Chairman, Subcommittee on Unemployment Compensation, Revenue Sharing, and Economic Problems (Committee on Finance); Chairman, Subcommittee on Government Procurement (Select Committee on Small Business); Chairman, Subcommittee on Budget Authorization (Select Committee on Intelligence).

Senator Hathaway will be challenged in next year's election by Republican Congressman Bill Cohen.

ERNEST F. HOLLINGS (Fritz) (D-South Carolina); 3rd term (1980); born January 1, 1922, Charleston, South Carolina; married (Rita); four children; Lutheran; B.A., The Citadel; LL.B, LL.D, University of South Carolina; Armed Forces, 1942-45; South Carolina General Assembly, 1948, 1950, 1952; South Carolina House of Representatives, speaker pro tempore, 1951, 1953; Lt. Governor, 1954; Governor, 1959-63; Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, appointed by President Eisenhower, 1959, reappointed by President Kennedy, 1962; author, The Case Against Hunger--A Demand for a National Policy, 1970; elected to U.S. Senate, 1966.

Chairman, Subcommittee on State, Justice, Commerce, the Judiciary (Committee on Appropriations); Chairman, Subcommittee on Communications (Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation); Chairman, Defense Task Force (Committee on the Budget).

THOMAS J. McINTYRE (D-New Hampshire); 3rd term (1978); born February 20, 1915, Laconia, New Hampshire; Catholic; married (Myrtle); one child; Dartmouth College, 1937; Boston University Law School, 1940; served World War II, 376th Infantry, 94th Division, Third Army; awarded four battle stars, Combat Infantry Badge and Bronze Star for meritorious achievement; mayor of Laconia, 1949-51; elected to U.S. Senate, 1962.

Chairman, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions (Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs); Chairman, Subcommittee on Governmental Regulation and Small Business Advocacy (Select Committee on Small Business); Chairman, Subcommittee on Research and Development (Committee on Armed Services).

Senator McIntyre will be challenged by Governor Thomson who has already received pledges of substantial support from right wing groups.

EDMUND S. MUSKIE (D-Maine); 4th term (1982); born March 28, 1914, Rumford, Maine; Catholic; married (Jane); five children; LL.B., Cornell University Law School, 1939; Maine House of Representatives, 93rd, 94th, 95th legislatures; Governor, 1955-59; elected to U.S. Senate, 1959.

Chairman, Committee on the Budget; Chairman, Subcommittee on Environmental Pollution (Committee on Environment and Public Works); Chairman, Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations (Committee on Governmental Affairs).

CLAIBORNE PELL (D-Rhode Island); 3rd term (1978); born November 22, 1918, New York City; Catholic; married (Nuala); two children; Princeton University, 1940, cum laude; A.M., Columbia University; Coast Guard; author, Megalopolis Unbound, 1966; Power and Policy, 1972; coauthor, Challenge of Seven Seas, 1966; U.S. Foreign Service; delegate to 25th General Assembly of United Nations, 1970; consultant, Democratic National Committee, 1953-60; elected to U.S. Senate, 1960.

Chairman, Subcommittee on Arms Control, Oceans and International Environment (Committee on Foreign Relations); Chairman, Subcommittee on Education, Arts and Humanities (Committee on Human Resources).

JAMES R. SASSER (D-Tennessee); 1st term (1982); born September 30, 1936, Memphis, Tennessee; Presbyterian; married (Mary); two children; Vanderbilt Law School, 1961; U.S. Marine Corps Reserve, 1957-63; Chairman, Tennessee Democratic Party, 1973-76; elected to U.S. Senate, 1976.

Chairman, Subcommittee on Civil Service and General Services (Committee on Governmental Affairs); member, Committee on Appropriations.

ADLAI E. STEVENSON III (D-Illinois); 2nd term (1980); born October 10, 1930, Hanover, Illinois; married (Nancy); four children; U.S. Marine Corps, 1952-54; Harvard Law School, 1957; Illinois House of Representatives, 1964; "Best Legislator" award of Independent Voters of Illinois; elected to U.S. Senate, 1970.

Chairman, Select Committee on Ethics; Chairman, Subcommittee on International Finance (Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs); Chairman, Subcommittee on Science and Space (Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation).

EDWARD ZORINSKY (D-Nebraska); 1st term (1982); born November 11, 1928, Omaha, Nebraska; Jewish; married (Cece); three children; University of Nebraska, 1949; Harvard University, 1966; U.S. Army, 1966; mayor of Omaha, 1973-77; elected to U.S. Senate, 1976.

Member, Committee on Appropriations; member, Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 15, 1977

Secretary Kreps

Re: Oceans Policy

The attached letter was sent to Senator Magnuson and Hollings. This copy is forwarded to you for your information and appropriate action.

Rick Hutcheson

cc: Stu Eizenstat
Frank Moore
Jack Watson
Z. Brzezinski

*send copy
of congress letter
to all Admin's
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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to Magnuson
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United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE,
AND TRANSPORTATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

June 14, 1977

*cc: Juanita
Sta
Comment
J*

President Jimmy Carter
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

During our service in the Senate, we have been particularly concerned about, and involved in, the nation's ocean program. As we see it, this nation's future is tied closely to wise use and protection of ocean resources. Energy, food, recreation, and numerous other human needs can be met, in part, by the large, but limited, bounty of the ocean. The United States is particularly gifted with large coastlines and an expansive Continental Shelf. In addition, our trade lifeline and national security rely on the oceans around us. In short, our ocean interests are great and a comprehensive ocean policy to deal with these interests is an indispensable part of the overall national policy. Nonetheless, no comprehensive ocean policy exists at present.

For the past eight years, we have suffered through one insensitive Administration and then another. Congress, by default, assumed the policy leadership role during this period, conceiving and enacting (often over Executive Branch resistance) much-needed ocean legislation: the Coastal Zone Management Act, the Fishery Conservation and Management Act, the Sea Grant Program Act, and the Coastal Zone Management Act Amendments of 1976, to cite a few. In addition, the Senate placed special emphasis on this area when it created the National Ocean Policy Study for in-depth analysis of our Federal ocean program.

It is now time, we believe, to work with the Administration in achieving an effective, efficient national ocean policy. We are prepared to work closely with you in this effort; we hope you concur with our general goals.

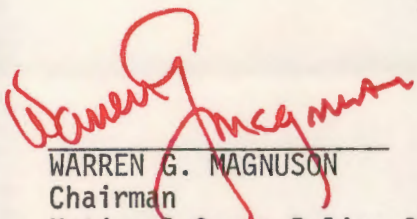
Contrary to what some in the Administration believe, we do not envision a new ocean initiative involving large increases in Federal expenditures. What we do propose is an effort to consolidate and reorganize ocean programs, eliminate unnecessary duplication, provide policy leadership, create effective coordinating processes, and, most of all, give direction to Federal efforts. To begin this effort, we propose that you consider issuing an "Ocean Policy Message", to include a long-overdue Presidential statement of the importance of ocean policy to the nation.


President Jimmy Carter
Page 2
June 14, 1977

We have labored long and hard to achieve, and improve upon, the objectives set for the Nation in the 1969 Stratton Commission Report, Our Nation and the Sea. We are convinced that much can be done to facilitate ocean policy decisions which meet our ocean challenge. We pledge our cooperation in that effort.

With best personal wishes,

Sincerely yours,


WARREN G. MAGNUSON
Chairman
National Ocean Policy Study


ERNEST F. HOLLINGS
Vice Chairman

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

6-15-77

To Sen Magnuson
Sen Hollings

I will ask Sec. Kres
to begin carrying out your
suggestion concerning an
oceans policy -

Thank you -

Jimmy

THE PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE

Wednesday - June 15, 1977

7:30 Dr. Zbigniew Brzezinski - The Oval Office.

✓ 8:00 Meeting with Senatorial Group.
(45 min.) (Mr. Frank Moore) - White House Staff Mess.

10:00 Vice President Walter F. Mondale,
Dr. Zbigniew Brzezinski, and
Admiral Stansfield Turner - Oval Office.

10:30 Mr. Jody Powell - The Oval Office.

1:20 Dr. C.G. Alexandrides. (Ms. Fran
(10 min.) Voorde) - The Oval Office.

✓ 1:30 Greet Participants in the Rural
(10 min.) Electric Cooperative Youth Program.
(Ms. Midge Costanza) - The Rose Garden.

✓ 2:00 Ms. Grace Olivarez, Director, Community
(15 min.) Services Administration) - Mr. Joe Aragon.
The Oval Office.

2:30 The Ashkenazi Chief Rabbi of Israel,
(10 min.) Shlomo Goren. (Dr. Zbigniew Brzezinski).
The Oval Office.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1977

The Vice President
Stu Eizenstat
Hamilton Jordan
Frank Moore

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Rick Hutcheson

Re: Private Meeting with Speaker
and the Leader

cc: Tim Kraft

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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN.

THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

June 14, 1977

*ok
J*

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: THE VICE PRESIDENT

WJ

This memo is to remind you that next week there should be a private meeting between you and the Speaker and the Leader to informally discuss the priorities for the rest of the session.

In my talks with them, I think it is now pretty well agreed that there shouldn't be a written list, but rather an informal discussion. I have talked to both the Speaker and Bob Byrd and they are looking forward to such a meeting and are awaiting the invitation.

cc: Tim Kraft
Frank Moore
Stu Eizenstat

*note: proposed time
in your 2-wk.
schedule draft -*

TK

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Handwritten notes and signatures:
Landon
Byrd
Ester
Landon

HJ

On attached, you should be aware: Basically, it is:

1. It is impossible to get Agency for Consumer Protection floor action this year.

2. We should attempt to get commitment from Byrd to schedule 1st weeks of second session next year.

Meanwhile, Ester should generate broad public support.
You don't have to read entire memo.

Landon thinks this is good memo and you should just be aware of this. We will send it in as you concur in this procedure.

yes X no _____

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Date: June 15, 1977

MEMORANDUM

FOR ACTION:

Stu Eizenstat
Hamilton Jordan
Jack Watson

FOR INFORMATION:

FROM: Rick Hutcheson, Staff Secretary

SUBJECT: Agency for Consumer Protection

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was withdrawn*

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE DELIVERED
TO THE STAFF SECRETARY BY:

TIME: 10:00 AM

DAY: Friday

DATE: June 17, 1977

ACTION REQUESTED:

☒ Your comments

Other:

STAFF RESPONSE:

☒ I concur.

☐ No comment.

Please note other comments below:

H.J.

PLEASE ATTACH THIS COPY TO MATERIAL SUBMITTED.

If you have any questions or if you anticipate a delay in submitting the required

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 9, 1977

MEMORANDUM TO THE PRESIDENT

FROM: FRANK MOORE *fm*
BOB THOMSON *Bob*

*V.P. Has Leon and
agrees.*

RE: AGENCY FOR CONSUMER PROTECTION

Wednesday's meeting with Senators Byrd and Ribicoff indicates that the ACP bill will not be called up in the Senate this year, unless the House acts first. Chairman Brooks has stated in graphic terms that he will not carry the bill to the floor unless the Senate acts.

We do not believe the bill is dead because of this stand-off, but we do believe it is now impossible to get floor action on it this year. Consequently, we recommend that the Administration and its allies make serious efforts to generate a groundswell of popular support for the bill during the remainder of this year, with an eye toward Senate floor action in January or February, 1978.

A. IMMEDIATE FLOOR ACTION NOT POSSIBLE

As we warned you in our briefing paper, Senator Byrd is not at all anxious to schedule the ACP bill this year. We think the Senator's estimate of two or three weeks to break a filibuster may be high. Nevertheless, there is no arguing with his conclusion that other important legislation, including energy, would be significantly delayed if ACP were scheduled now. Obviously, the Majority Leader does not wish to ruffle the Senate's feathers on a bill he perceives to be less important, when he may need all the allies he can get to pass energy and appropriations bills or sustain vetoes.

Congressman Brooks will not go first. We do not suggest he be pressured to do so at this time. That would be a dubious expression of our gratitude for his efforts on behalf of a strong Department of Energy. Besides, we cannot win in the House at this time.

B. SCHEDULING THE BILL NEXT YEAR

We recommend that we attempt to gain a commitment from Senator Byrd to schedule the bill during the first weeks of the second session next year. The Senator clearly indicated he may well be willing to go first at that time.

OR TAKE IT UP FIRST IN THE HOUSE WITH THE NEW SUPPORT.

C. INTERIM ACTIVITIES

We recommend that during the remainder of this year, Mrs. Peterson and her staff continue their effective efforts to generate broad popular support for a consumer protection agency. Although much has been done, there have been insufficient efforts to generate Congressional mail from correspondents in the Members' districts or states. In many cases, Senators or House members have received no constituent mail in support of the agency. On the other hand, most have received numerous letters in opposition to the agency from local business leaders and others.

We must also reinspire Senator Ribicoff. There are excellent reasons why the agency is needed despite appointment of consumerists to positions in existing agencies.

Date: June 15, 1977

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FOR ACTION:

Stu Eizenstat
Hamilton Jordan
Jack Watson

FOR INFORMATION:

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FROM: Rick Hutcheson, Staff Secretary

SUBJECT: Agency for Consumer Protection

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE DELIVERED
TO THE STAFF SECRETARY BY:

TIME: 10:00 AM

DAY: Friday

DATE: June 17, 1977

ACTION REQUESTED:

☒ Your comments

Other:

STAFF RESPONSE:

☐ I concur.☐ No comment.

Please note other comments below:

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WASHINGTON

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THE PRESIDENT WAS SEEN.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT - EYES ONLY

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June 15, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Lyle E. Gramley *LSG*
SUBJECT: Housing Starts in May

Tomorrow (Thursday, June 16) at 2:30 P.M., the Census Bureau will release figures on housing activity in May. New housing starts last month were at an annual rate of 1,921,000 -- up about 1 percent from April. Residential building permits in May were also relatively unchanged from the April level. Both starts and permits in May were one-third above their levels a year earlier.

Housing starts in the Western region declined in May for the third month in a row and are presently about one-fifth below their level in the fourth quarter of last year. This is probably a healthy development, since there have been signs of overbuilding and speculation in the housing market in California. The cooling off of the housing boom in the West, however, means that further increases during 1977 in the total national level of starts are likely to be relatively moderate.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE PRESIDENT
FROM: JAMES B. KING *JBK*
SUBJECT: Presidential Appointment

Attached for your signature is the nomination document for William Lloyd Harper, of Georgia, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of Georgia for the term of four years vice John W. Stokes, Jr., resigned.

Since 1971 Mr. Harper has been Legal Counsel to the Governor for the State of Georgia.

All necessary checks have been completed.

*With pleasure
JC*

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